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Mr. Frank W. Clarice

Dear Mr. Clarice:

On behalf of Mr. Dulles, may I acknowledge your letter of 22 July and thank you for your suggestion of equating Communism with "anti-God".

Your idea does not fall within the purview of the CIA and, since the U. S. Information Agency has interest in matters of this nature, I have taken the liberty of forwarding your letter to that department.

We greatly appreciate your taking the time to write us about this matter.

Sincerely,

Assistant to the Director

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Mr. Frank W. Clarke

Dear Mr. Clarke:

This acknowledges receipt of your letter of July 22, 1958, to Mr. Allen Dulles. It has been referred to me for reply.

Your idea of equating communism with "anti-God" does seem to be an effective approach toward acquainting those who believe in God with the dangers of communist subversion.

Thank you for your suggestion.

Sincerely,

Assistant to the Director

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Attn: Mr. Albert J. Lubin  
Deputy Director  
Office of Public Information

Forwarded as a matter of primary  
interest per my conversation with Mr.  
Lubin. For your information, I am  
enclosing a copy of our reply to  
Mr. Clarke.

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Assistant to the Director

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